

Pending:

Kyl/Ensign Amendment No. 2899, to make available funds included in the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 for allotments to States for the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program for fiscal year 2006. **Page S1665**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the bill and, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur on Tuesday, March 7, 2006. **Pages S1665–66**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that first-degree amendments in relation to the filed cloture motion be submitted no later than 2:00 p.m., on Monday, March 6, 2006; that, notwithstanding the provisions of rule XXII, a vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the bill occur on Tuesday, March 7, 2006, following a period of morning business and one hour of debate equally divided in relation to this bill. **Page S1757**

Katrina Emergency Assistance Act: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House of Representatives to S. 1777, to provide relief for the victims of Hurricane Katrina, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S1757**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Dennis Bottorff, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2011.

Robert M. Duncan, of Kentucky, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2011.

William B. Sansom, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2009.

Susan Richardson Williams, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2007.

Donald R. DePriest, of Mississippi, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2009.

Howard A. Thraikill, of Alabama, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for the term prescribed by law. **Page S1757**

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:45 a.m., and adjourned at 1:12 p.m., until 1 p.m., on Monday, March 6, 2006. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S1757.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at noon on Monday, March 6, 2006.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of March 6 through March 11, 2006

Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, Senate may begin debate on the proposed lobbying reform bill. At 5 p.m., Senate will begin consideration the nominations of Timothy C. Batten, Sr., to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia, Thomas E. Johnston, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of West Virginia, and Aida M.

Delgado-Colon, to be United States District Judge for the District of Puerto Rico, and at 5:30 p.m., proceed to consecutive votes on confirmation of the nominations.

On *Tuesday*, Senate will resume consideration of S. 2320, LIHEAP Funding bill, with a vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any other cleared legislative and executive business.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: March 9, to hold hearings to examine the United States Department of Agriculture's management and oversight of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 10:30 a.m., SR-328A.